



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**A RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION IN THE MATTER OF THE RETIREMENT OF YOLANDA PEREZ,
SANTA BARBARA COUNTY DEPARTMENT BUSINESS SPECIALIST**

WHEREAS, Yolanda Perez has faithfully served the citizens and the County of Santa Barbara for 40 years; and

WHEREAS, Yolanda Perez began County employment on June of 1972 as a Typist Clerk in the Department of Social Services; and

WHEREAS, Yolanda Perez has worked her entire career with the Department of Social Services, as a Typist Clerk, Eligibility Worker, Social Worker, Eligibility Supervisor, Social Services Supervisor and Department Business Specialist; and

WHEREAS, Yolanda Perez has faithfully served the families and children of Santa Barbara County working with families in crisis by providing Protective Services, Case Management, and Support Services as part of the Child Welfare team; and

WHEREAS, Yolanda Perez has worked diligently to enhance services to Transitional Aged Youth in the Foster Care System including Program Development, Coordination of the County Independent Living Program, Coordination of Transitional Housing Program for Foster/Probation Youth, Emancipated Youth, After Care Services; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Perez has actively supported the youth of our community by assisting youths in applying for college, securing employment, securing housing, attending high school and college graduations on her own time at the youths' request, and taking many youths to needed medical services and providing support.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, commends and thanks Yolanda Perez for her service to the County of Santa Barbara and wishes Yolanda the very best in their retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa, State of California, this 10th day of July, 2012, by a unanimous of all members present.



ATTEST: Chandra Waller
Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 1st District

Joan Wolf
Supervisor - 2nd District

Debra Van
Supervisor - 3rd District

Joni Gray
Supervisor - 4th District

St. Dawson
Supervisor - 5th District